Miller & Rhoads

Some of Friday's Remnant News in Condensed Form

Were 10c to 25c yard.

Corsets, 50c, \$1 and \$1.50. Were \$1 to \$2.50 each.

New Wash Suits, \$6.75. Were \$7.50 to \$20.

Wash Goods, 3c, 5c, 81-3c | Rope Portieres, \$2.50

Irish Point Curtains, \$2.75

Muslin Curtains, 98c pair.

PROF. WOODLEY

Normal Closes Engagement

FRENCH REVOLUTION

Dr. S. C. Mitchell Will Deliver Lecture of Far More Than Ordinary Interest.

The teachers of the Richmond Summer formal greatly regret the departure of rofessor O. I. Woodley, who leaves to corrow for the University of Virginia Accepts a will be one of the instructors

morrow for the University of Virginia, where he will be one of the instructors at the Virginia School of Methods.

Professor Woodley is considered one of the best teachers of "Language" in the country, and he has gained a wide reputation through his series of text-books on this subject, used in many of the best schools in the United States.

Professor Woodley is a superintendent of wide experience, and the teachers feel that his methods are the result of careful thought and practice. He will deliver his last lecture before his doparture this morning at 9:30 o'clock in the dissembly hall at Central School. His subject is a broad one: "The Influence of Literature Upon the Language of the Pupil."

Approuncement has been made of Announcement has been made of a series of lectures on the "French Revolution" to be given by Dr. S. C. Mitchell, of Richmond College, next week. Dr. Mitchell will lecture at noon on Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week. He is too well known in Richmong educational circles to need any introduction, and doubtless many people will avail themselves of this opportunity to see the great educator at his best, hamely, in the class-room.

Development of Will.

lectures of Professor A. S. Mac-of Kentucky State College, are well attended, and yestorday was His first lecture was on ment of the Will." He said

"The Development of the Will." To said in part:

"The education of the child begins with its first cry and as the child grows the will develops, so that it becomes the business of the teacher to so mold the will and heart of the child as to produce a noble character. Character is the stamp made upon us in the course of our experience and it is the magic of repetition upon which the teacher must chiefly depend. A mule has a strong will—at times inconvenient to its owner. Treat the stubborn child as you would a mule; that is, use tact and try to develop his power of judgment in some proportion to its will power."

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Professor Mickenzie's second lecture vas en "Woman's Share in the Development of Literature." He began with the earliest times and endeavored to show that women of all ages have not only contributed to the literature of the world, but have indirectly furthered the sauce of literature by furnishing inspiration to the masters in all times. He illustrated this last point by citing the postage of Lioyd Mifflin, of Pennsylvance of Lioyd Mifflin, of Pennsylvance of Lioyd Mifflin, of Pennsylvance of Lioyd Mifflin, of Pennsylvance

A marriage license was issued at the Henrico courthouse yesterday to Mr. Her-man Mertens and Miss Pattle Alice Johns, both of Henrico. Mr. Mertens is a well knews merchant of the county.

BE HEALTH

Popular Teacher in Summer Dr. Oppenhimer Declares He Would Not Think of Accepting the Place.

NOT FOR TEN THOUSAND

President of Health Board, However, Will Work for Success of the Department.

never will be a candidate for chief health officer of the city of Richmond.

o work in the interest of better health conditions, and not to grind any axes. "If I had any idea of such a course, my practice is such as to forbid its serious consideration, but I have never thought of such a thing for a moment. "If the salary were \$10,000, my position in regard to the matter would be the same.

same. "I shall devote myself unselfishly to the work of the department, and shall strive to assist in bringing it up to a high standard, without reference to the interests of any individual. "I wish to make it plain to the public once for all, that under no circumstances would I accent the office."

would I accept the office

Firm and Final.

The above statement was given out by President W. T. Oppenhimer, of the Board of Health, last night, and com-

STAIRS'S ESCAPE

and walls behind the shoe shops abso lutely unguarded at night, for the pris-oners are accounted for in their cells at 6 o'clock every working evening, and the guards are withdrawn only when this

Lives in Cesspool.

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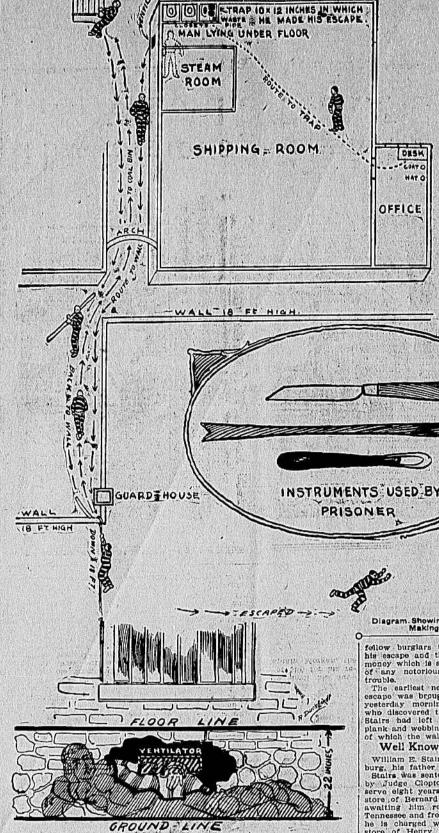
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Tossing it upward the hook caught in the rall of the guard-house, and the



escape was all but accomplished, when the webbing broke and Stairs fell heavily to the wet ground, the print of his body showing where he fell.

Nothing daunted, the burglar, hastened back to the coal bins in the yard just below the hole from which he had chissled his way out, and tearing a large state from the north the method that way be the provided the second that the provided the second that the provided the second that the provided th

furnished him clothing and aided him h

leaving the city.

Be this as it may, the boldness and pluck of the man has compelled the admiration of every one and even his jallers are giving the devil his due-backed by a reward of \$100 for his recovery, offered by Captain Morgan, the superintendent.

uperintendent.

Up to inilinight last night no trace of the escaped convict had been discovered, but Captain Morgan says he has no doubt but that the man will be retaken, and says he has information concerning the escape which he is not at liberty to divulge at this time.

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Willam E. Stairs is a native of Lynchburg, his father having been a printer.

Stairs was sentenced in February, 1965, by Judge Clopton, of Manchester, to serve eight years for breaking into the store of Bernard Vaden. There is also awaiting him requisition papers from Tennessee and from West Virginia, where he is charged with having robbed the store of Henry Sheft, of Wheeling, of \$1,200 worth of jewelry.

He is 5 feet, 10 inches high; has fair complexion; light brown hair; grey eyes; is 30 years of age, and weighs 166 pounds. On his right foreurm in India lik is a tattoe of a man with a slouch hat, while below are the initials "W. H." and four characters from the thieves alphabet, surrounding the figures 4i.

"Captain Morgan, superintendent of the penitentiary, denies that the man was a desperate character, but says that he possessed the greatest amount of energy, pluck and perseverence.

"How he ilived in that awful hole for 13 days, I cannot understand," said Captain Morgan, Officer Penn and a white prisoner who went down to make an examination, had to give up the job after five minutes' work, and a negro was sent down to bring up what Stairs

thought that Stairs was met when he It is thought that Captain Morgan has after five minutes' work, and a negre-scaled the wall by a confederate who reference to the efforts made by Stairs's was sent down to bring up what Stairs

These Reduced Suits

are all desirable in cut and material-every one is taken right out of our regular stock and is of our unequaled make. Too many Suits on hand-that is the only reason for these unusual

\$13.50 and \$15.00 Suits Reduced to \$8.75.

\$20.00 and \$22.50 Suits Reduced to

\$12.75. Gans-Rady Company

When asked if anyone had ever tried to talk to Stairs, Captain Morgan said that the man had never had a visitor since he entered the prison.

Remarkable Record.

The escape of Stairs brings to notice the remarkably wonderful record of the Virgina penitentiary. There are confined there about 1,400 prinoners, and of these but four have escaped from the inside wails of the prison, within the twelve years during which Captain Morgan has been connected with it.

Of these four, but two, W. E. Stairs and William Lewis, are now at large, the others, Walter Turpin and Lizzle Dodson, having been recaptured.

No blames of any sort in connection with Stairs' escape attaches to Captain Morgan or his guards, for all that human ingenuity could do, had been done to apprehend the man, whose superhuman merve and determination alone are responsible for the successful termination of his try for liberty.

Cantain Morgan has the note book left behind by Stairs, and will endeavor to have a translation made of the noi written if the thieves' cipher, which may be the means of discovering the whereabouts of the escaped criminal.

In connection with the disappearance of Stiars, Superintendent Morgan announced yesterday that the apparatus for the Bertillon system for measurements of prisoners had been purchased, and that it would be installed at an early date. Then he will have a couple of photographs made of each man when he enters and when he leaves the prison. The measurements will be made as provided for in the Bertillon system. The room for the installation of the apparatus is now being prepared, and will be completed with the Penitentiary.

HANGED FOR MURDER.

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Negro Who Took a Life Answer for It With His Own.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CLIFTON FORGE, VA. June 28.—Ben

Hubbard, colored, was executed at Covington to-day for the murder of Robert

Brown. There was no excitement attending the hanging, and few men have displayed mora nerve than Hubbard in the
face of death.

The crime was committed at Low Moor
last March. Robert Lowis, colored, was
sentenced to hang at the same time, but
the Governor granted him a respite for
thirty days. Hubbard made a full confession of his crime to his spiritual advisors, but did not speak a word on the
scanfold.

scaffold.

The drop fell at 6:47 this morning. In twenty minutes the body was cut down and sent to the University at Charlottes-

PAY TAXES TO-DAY

Collector's Office Will Keep Late Hours To-Day and To-Morrow. of his force have been kept busy for

the wishes of bear to paid to-day.

All tax bills not paid to-day morrow will have the 5 per cost penalty added. Captain Cunningham will hold his office open to 6 o'clock to-night and to office open to 6 o'clock to-night and to office open to 6 o'clock to-night and to find the indiction of the

Auditing Committee.

CATHOLICS LIBERAL TO STRICKEN PEOPLE

Nearly \$2,500 Contributed to Victims of San Francisco Earthquake and Fire.

The total amount of the collections for

The amount given by the Charless the different clies, and which may be of interest to some of our readers, is as follows:

St. Peter's Cathedral, Richmond, 246 58; Paul's Church, Portsmouth, 215 58; Maria's Church, Alexandria, 245 59; Maria's Church, Alexandria, 245 50; Maria's Church, Alexandria, 245 50; Maria's Church, Clifton Forge, 105 50; Knights of Columbia, Portsmouth, 160 00; St. Mary's Church, Richmond, 120 00; Knights of Columbia, Richmond,

NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Cut Off and Dies. WAS PURELY AN ACCIDENT

Linwood Johnson, Brakeman on Southern Yard, Has Legs

Man Gives Coroner Ante-Mortem Statement to This Effect. Live News of the City.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1112 Hull Street.

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A most horrible accident occurred in
the yards of the Southern Railway, at
7.39 o'clock last night, in which Linwood Johnson, a young white man, had
both legs cut of, from which he died
an hour later. Mr. Johnson was employed as a yard brakenman, and after crossing a switch, he attempted to board the
tender at yard engine, No. 1566, manned
by Engineer William Campbell. The
young man's foot slipped and the enrim and ground off both of his legs.
Though suffering great agony, Mr. Johnson only lost consciousness a short
while prior to \$139 o'clock, at which
hour he breathed his last.

No One to Blame.

Dr. John W. Brodnax, who is city
coroner, attended the unfortunate man,
and the latter made to the doctor, an
ante-morteum statement, in which he exoncrated the engineer fully, and said the
acident was caused solely through the
missing of his foothold in attempting to
hoard the backing engine. The coroner
viewed the body and declared an inquest unnecessary.

Mr. Johnson was well liked by all who
knew him, and his horrible death is the
source of deep regret.

Mr. Johnson was a man of about thirtyone years of ago, and was widely known
in Manchester.

Teachers Elected.

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The City School Board met last night and re-elected all the school teachers.
The matter of choosing a principal for the white school was discussed, but na election was had.
The whole matter was referred to a sub-committee, with instructions to report recommendations to a called meeting of the board.

Is Digging Gold.

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Mr. J. W. Robertson has received a letter from his son, Mr. B. B. Robertson who is now in the Klondyke in search of gold. The letter says Mr. Robertson has been successful in working his claim thus far.

There were a number of petty cases before the Mayor yesterday.

Mittle Easley pald \$2.50 for abusing Lillie Botts in the streets, and Sophie Lumbert and Mattle Carter were discharged, being up for alleged fighting. All these were colored.

Policeman Waymack has arrested Sarah Jones (colored) on the charge of stealing a watch. The woman's house was searched, but the watch was not found.

Personals and Briefs.

Rev. Boyd E. Hudson; of West Point.

Rev. Boyd E. Hudson; of West Point, is the guest of his mother-in-law, Mrs. M. J. Cheatham.

Mr. Benjamin Cole, of Swansboro, is reported to be quite sick at his home.

Mr. Benjamin Childress, of Powhatan, is spending some time in the city with relatives.

her residence in Mason Park.

Mrs. L. O. Neal, of Clover, is visiting her son, W. A. Neal, at No. 715 Decatur Street.

MR. BECK SUCCEEDS CAPTAIN WILSON

Mr. Fountain Jones Named as Mr. Beck's Successor-Street Committee.

The regular meeting of the Street Committee was held yesterday afternoon; be-The total amount of the collections for the San Francisco sufferers, which, by the order of Rt. Rev. Van de Vyyer, were taken up in all the Catholic churches of the diocese the Sunday after the disaster, has reached the handsome sum of over two thousand dollars. The money has been forwarded to the proper authorities at San Francisco.

The amount given by the churches of the different cliles, and which may be of interest to some of our readers, is as follows:

St. Peter's Cathedral, Richmond. \$246.40 St. Paul's Church, Portsmouth... 215.50 St. Maril's Church, Alexandria... 184.45 ginning at 5 o'clock and lasting until 7:30,

This Famous Gibson Drawing Free With the Times-Dispatch

Sunday, July 1st

The above cut represents one of the most famous works of the world-famous artist, Charles Dana Gibson. It is a faithful representation of suspicious, jealous human nature-one of those spots in life where comedy and pathos meet. This is the ninth drawing of the series given away with The Sunday Times-Dispatch. Be sure you get one. *